for release of grant under the scheme during current financial year. An amount of Rs. 273.81 lakh has already been released to State Government of Madhya Pradesh under the scheme, during current financial year. The receipt of proposals from State Governments/UT Administrations for release of grants-in-aid for construction of Ashram Schools is a continuous process. The grant-in-aid is released only if the proposal is complete in all respects *i.e.* availability of land free of cost, confirmation about availability of 50% State share, Utilization Certificate and physical progress reports in respect of proposals sanctioned in previous years and the availability of funds.

Scheme for educational complex in low literacy pockets

2898. SHRI C. RAMACHANDRAIAH: Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Ministry is implementing the scheme of educational complex in low literacy pockets for development of female literacy;

(b) if so, whether the said scheme is being implemented in Andhra Pradesh;

(c) if so, how many tribal girls have been provided with necessary assistance under the scheme during the last three years, year-wise;

(d) the funds released during that period; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI P. R. KYNDIAH): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. Ministry has been implementing through Non-governmental organisations/ autonomous societies of the State Governments, a gender specific scheme of educational complex in identified low literacy pockets in tribal areas including the areas of Andhra Pradesh for development of ST female literacy.

(c) and (d) The year-wise details of number of tribal girls benefited from the scheme and funds released for educational complexes in Andhra Pradesh during the last three years is given the Statement (*See* below).

(e) Does not arise.

Statement

Details of funds released in favour of Andhra Pradesh under the scheme of "Educational Complex in low literacy pockets for development of women literacy in tribal areas" during last three years and number of beneficiaries.

(Rs. in lakh)

Sl. No.	Name of the Organisation	2004-05		2005-06		2006-07		Remarks
		Benefi-ciaries	Amount released	Benefi-ciaries	Amount released	Benefi-ciaries	Amount released	
1	A.P. Tribal Welfare Ashram and Residential Education Institution Society, Hyderabad, A.P (Running 41 Educational Complexes in Srikakulam, Vizianagaram, Visakhapatnam, Khammam, Warangal, Adilabad, Guntur, Prakasham, Nellore, Cuddapah, Kuroool, Mahoobnagar, Ranga Reddy, Medak, Nizamabad, Karimnagar and Nalgonda Districts)	4710	320.03	4844	262.43	5204	98.50	–
2	Jagruthi Educational and Community Devt.Society, Jawahar Nagar, Chikkadpalli, Hyderabad, A.P.	0	0.00	120	21.37	0	0.00	Proposal not received from State Government during 2006-07
3	Navodya Integration Cultural Social Education and Voluntary Action, Kurnool, A.P.	0	0.00	120	18.36	0	0.00	

4	Rural Mahila Welfare Society, Kurnool, A.P.	90	8.58	0	0.00	0	0.00	No recommendation have been received since 2005-06
5	Sarojini Devi Harijan Mahila Mandali, H.No.11- 10-635, Burahanpuram, Khammam, A.P.		0.00	60	5.44	89	3.08	–
6	Social Action for Social Development, 131/B, Sanjeeva Reddy Nagar, Hyderabad	120	10.90	0	0.00	0	0.00	No recommendation have been received since 2005-06
7	Social Integration and Rural Development Society, Nalgonda, A.P.	0	0.00	0	0.00	120	19.00	–
8	Vennela Educational and Rural Development Society, Hyderabad	0	0.00	120	15.49	100	7.57	–
	TOTAL:	4920	339.51	5264	323.08	5513	128.16	